



PUBLIC NOTICE

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ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT

FOR PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT

The Russian River County Sanitation District (RRCSD) has prepared a Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) to assess potential environmental effects of their Irrigation Reliability and Beneficial Reuse Project (Proposed Project).

The Proposed Project would result in the development of a recycled-water distribution system to deliver recycled water from the District's Waste Water Treatment Plant (WWTP) to existing agricultural, municipal, and other permitted operations in the surrounding area. The Proposed Project would consist of the construction, operation, and maintenance of the following components: (1) up to 32 miles of recycled water pipelines extending from the District's WWTP to users; (2) pumping facilities, including upgrades to existing booster pump stations at the WWTP; (3) off-site storage tanks with a combined holding capacity of up to 1,000,000 gallons; (4) service turnouts from the pipelines and other facilities to provide recycled water to users; and associated connecting pipelines and other minor appurtenances.

RRCSD has established a 45-day review period which begins June 5, 2007 and extends to July 20, 2007.

Written comments on the Draft EIR may be submitted to:

Sonoma County Water Agency
Attn: Jeff Church, Senior Environmental Specialist
PO Box 11628
Santa Rosa, CA 95406-1628

You may also submit your comments electronically at the Agency's website: www.sonomacountywater.org

DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY: The Draft EIR is available for public review at the following locations during normal business hours:

**Sonoma County
Water Agency**
404 Aviation Blvd.
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

Guerneville
Regional Library
14107 Armstrong Woods Rd.
Guerneville, CA 95446

**Sonoma County
Central Library**
211 E Street
Santa Rosa, CA 95404

PUBLIC MEETINGS: A public meeting on the Proposed Project will be held on:

Tuesday, July 10, 2007 • 10:00 a.m.
Sonoma County Board of Supervisors Chambers
575 Administration Drive
Santa Rosa, CA

Oral and written testimony will be taken at the hearing. Written comments may also be submitted to the General Manager/ Chief Engineer of the Sonoma County Water Agency, PO Box 11628, Santa Rosa, CA 95406, for receipt prior to the hearing. Persons interested in reviewing the Draft EIR, receiving a copy of the document, or in reviewing documents referenced in the EIR, are invited to contact:
Jeff Church, Sonoma County Water Agency, 707-547-1949.